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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: TRADE AGREEMENT NEGOTIATIONS

REF: STATE 001942

1. UPON RECEIPT OF REFTEL JANUARY 6 I CALLED DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER AND FOREIGN TRADE MINISTER PATAN TO PROPOSE START OF NEGOTIATIONS JANUARY 14. PATAN HAS JUST CALLED ME BACK TO CONFIRM GOR AGREEMENT TO THAT DATE.

2. EMBASSY OFFICERS ARE MEETING NOW AT MFT TO PRESENT TEXT OF ARTICLES NEEDED TO COMPLETE OUR DRAFT. WE WILL SUBMIT LATER TODAY OUR ASSESSMENT OF LIKELY MAJOR PROBLEMS FACING US IN THE NEGOTIATIONS.

3. WE HAVE NOT YET RECEIVED FULL TEXT OF PERTINENT ARTICLES IN THE TRADE BILL WHICH HAVE AFFECTED THE WORDING OF OUR DRAFT. BELIEVE WE NEED THESE BY CABLE IN ORDER TO GIVE ROMANIAN SIDE SUFFICIENT TIME TO STUDY THEM AND IN ORDER TO SUBSTANTIATE ANY
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ARGUMENT THAT AGREEMENT AS CLOSE AS POSSIBLE TO OUR

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